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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action dated June 30, 2004.

An amendment to the Claims is reflected in the set of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper. The amended claims require no additional fee.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

Also enclosed herewith is a Notice of Appeal in duplicate, which includes a request to extend the time to reply for three months, both accompanied by the appropriate fee.